



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT

Applicant: Butler, et al.
Serial No: 09/730,334
Filed: 12/15/2001
Title of Invention: Spinal Fluid Collection System

Group Art Unit: 1746
Examiner: Pamela Wingood

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Box OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE
The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks:
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2002, please substitute the attached Oath and Declaration.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

In the Specification

Applicant acknowledges the spelling error of the word "stylette" detected by the Examiner and thanks the Examiner for this observation. In response, Applicant submits the attached substitute specification. This substitute specification contains no new matter and is submitted only to correct this spelling error which occurs throughout the specification, and to minimize the difficulty of arranging the papers pursuant to 37 CFR 1.125, MPEP 608.01(q).

Approved
For Exam
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9.30.02

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